

SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

**March 4, 2009
8:30 A.M.**

Hearing Room 343

MEMBERS PRESENT: **Sen. Floyd Prozanski, Chair**
 Sen. Brian Boquist, Vice-Chair
 Sen. Suzanne Bonamici
 Sen. Jackie Dingfelder
 Sen. Doug Whitsett

STAFF PRESENT: **Anna Braun, Counsel**
 Courtney Johnston, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: SB 307 – Public Hearing

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8:34:59 AM Meeting Called to Order
8:35:04 AM Chair Prozanski
8:36:15 AM SB 307 - Public Hearing
8:36:26 AM Anna Braun, Committee Counsel
8:36:37 AM {Exhibit} 1: Braun
8:36:42 AM {Exhibit} 2: Braun
8:36:49 AM Chair Prozanski
8:38:16 AM Linda Eyerman, Portland Attorney/former president, Oregon Trial
Lawyers Association
8:38:42 AM {Exhibit} 3: Eyerman
8:42:33 AM Jason Reynolds, Executive Director, Consumer Justice Alliance
8:42:46 AM Chair Prozanski
8:42:49 AM Reynolds
8:43:58 AM {Exhibit} 4: Reynolds
8:44:05 AM Chair Prozanski
8:44:12 AM Steven Sharp, citizen, Eastern Oregon
8:44:20 AM {Exhibit} 5: Sharp
8:48:01 AM Chair Prozanski
8:48:09 AM Sen. Bonamici
8:48:21 AM Sharp
8:49:11 AM Sen. Bonamici
8:49:17 AM Sharp
8:50:15 AM Chair Prozanski
8:50:42 AM Sharp
8:51:37 AM Chair Prozanski
8:51:40 AM Vice-Chair Boquist
8:51:53 AM Sharp
8:51:56 AM Chair Prozanski
8:52:02 AM Sen. Bonamici
8:52:06 AM Chair Prozanski
8:52:35 AM Eyerman
8:52:47 AM Chair Prozanski
8:52:49 AM Eyerman
8:53:17 AM Chair Prozanski
8:53:23 AM Eyerman
8:55:16 AM Chair Prozanski
8:55:17 AM Eyerman
8:55:21 AM Amber Newcomb, citizen, Central Point, Oregon
8:55:27 AM {Exhibit} 6: Newcomb

8:57:48 AM Chair Prozanski
8:57:55 AM Eyerman
9:00:04 AM Chair Prozanski
9:00:55 AM Sheryl Rhoades, citizen, Lake Oswego, Oregon
9:01:05 AM {Exhibit} 7: Rhoades
9:05:52 AM Chair Prozanski
9:06:08 AM Denise Fletter, citizen, West Linn, Oregon
9:06:22 AM {Exhibit} 8: Fletter
9:10:38 AM Chair Prozanski
9:10:41 AM Mary Neerhout Borg, citizen, Lake Oswego, Oregon
9:10:45 AM {Exhibit} 9: Neerhout Borg
9:16:32 AM Joel La Follette, citizen, West Linn, Oregon
9:16:40 AM {Exhibit} 10: La Follette
9:24:25 AM Chair Prozanski
9:25:19 AM Bill Gaylord, Attorney, Portland, Oregon
9:25:28 AM Chair Prozanski
9:25:48 AM Gaylord
9:27:46 AM Chair Prozanski
9:27:51 AM Sen. Whitsett
9:27:54 AM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
9:27:54 AM {Exhibit} 11: Thomas Sass, Director of Public Affairs, Greenbrier Companies
9:28:59 AM Gaylord
9:29:15 AM Sen. Whitsett
9:29:33 AM Gaylord
9:30:05 AM Chair Prozanski
9:30:36 AM Tom Holt, representing, Oregon Liability Reform Coalition
9:33:21 AM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
9:33:21 AM {Exhibit} 12: Joanne K. Bryson, Executive Director, Oregon Medical Association
9:35:32 AM Josh Palmer, Attorney, Daimler Trucks North America
9:35:53 AM {Exhibit} 13: Palmer
9:42:17 AM Kevin Mannix, Attorney, Salem, Oregon
9:47:22 AM Chair Prozanski
9:47:37 AM J.L. Wilson, representing, Associated Oregon Industries
9:47:47 AM {Exhibit} 14: Wilson
9:49:55 AM Don Meier, representing, Oregon Manufactured Housing Association
9:50:56 AM {Exhibit} 15: Meier
9:51:30 AM Chair Prozanski
9:51:50 AM Sen. Bonamici
9:52:26 AM Holt
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9:54:23 AM Palmer
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9:56:32 AM Mannix
9:56:36 AM Chair Prozanski
9:56:42 AM Palmer
9:57:08 AM Chair Prozanski
9:57:50 AM Mannix
9:59:06 AM Chair Prozanski
9:59:14 AM Mannix
9:59:19 AM Chair Prozanski
9:59:21 AM Vice-Chair Boquist
9:59:36 AM Chair Prozanski
9:59:39 AM Sen. Bonamici
10:00:48 AM Mannix
10:02:06 AM Holt
10:02:39 AM Chair Prozanski
10:03:19 AM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
10:03:19 AM {Exhibit} 16: Gwen Dayton, Executive Vice-President and General Counsel, Oregon Association of Hospitals and Health Systems
10:03:20 AM Meeting Adjourned

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- 8:36:37 AM** {Exhibit} 1: SB 307, -1 amendment, staff, 2 pp
8:36:42 AM {Exhibit} 2: SB 307, -2 amendment, staff, 2 pp
8:38:42 AM {Exhibit} 3: SB 307, SB 307 history and background information, Linda Eyerman, 2 pp
8:43:58 AM {Exhibit} 4: SB 307, written testimony, Jason Reynolds, 1 p
8:44:20 AM {Exhibit} 5: SB 307, written testimony, Steven Sharp, 1 p
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9:47:47 AM {Exhibit} 14: SB 307, written testimony, J. L. Wilson, 2 pp
9:50:56 AM {Exhibit} 15: SB 307, Oregon Revised Statute Limitations of Actions and Suits, Don Meier, 1 p
10:03:19 AM {Exhibit} 16: SB 307, written testimony, Gwen Dayton, 1 p
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